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NOVEMBER 1.

MR. CHARLES MORRIS in the Chair.

Forty persons present.

The death of ARTHUR ERWIN BROWN, Sc.D., a Vice-President of the Academy, on the 29th ult., having been announced, the following minute, offered by the Council, was adopted and ordered to be placed on record:

The Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia has heard with deep regret of the death of its senior Vice-President, Arthur Erwin Brown, Sc.D., and desires to put on record its appreciation of the loss it has sustained.

Since his election to membership in 1876 Dr. Brown manifested his interest in the society loyally and efficiently, serving as Curator for seventeen years and as Vice-President since 1900.

Wise in council, efficient and conscientious in the discharge of his official duties, his co-operation was highly esteemed by his associates, while his enlightened sympathy with the progress of the society materially advanced its interests.

His contributions to science were characterized by accuracy and breadth of view and added notably to the importance of the Academy's publications.

Courtesy, candor and consideration marked his intercourse with his fellow-members, who will long hold his memory in affectionate regard.

Their sorrow enables them to sympathize deeply with his sister, to whom they extend their heartfelt commiseration.

Miss H. NEWELL WARDLE made a communication on the Congress of Americanists held in Mexico, September 7 to 14, and on certain Mexican ruins examined incidental to the meeting. (No abstract.)

NOVEMBER 15.

The President, SAMUEL G. DIXON, M.D., LL.D., in the Chair.

Thirty-two persons present.

The deaths of the following persons were announced:

John H. Converse, a member, May 3, 1910;
Richard Wood, a member, September 29, 1910;
Edward S. Buckley, a member, November 15, 1910;
William K. Brewer, a correspondent, November 2, 1910.

HENRY LEFFMANN, M.D., made a communication on mechanical principles in living structures. (No abstract.)

Robert Adams, Jr., was elected a member.

The following were elected correspondents:

Edward B. Poulton, of Oxford, England.
Thomas H. Morgan, of New York.
Lucien Ossian Howard, of Washington.

The following were ordered to be printed: